

## PATENT APPLICATION

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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## RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION AND LETTER TRANSMITTING TERMINAL DISCLAIMER

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 17, 2008, Applicants submit herewith a duly executed Terminal Disclaimer, together with the statutory fee of \$130.00 required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.20(d).

In view of this submission, it is believed that the application is fully in condition for allowance, and such action is respectfully requested.

Submission of this Terminal Disclaimer is not necessarily a concession of the correctness of the obviousness-type double patenting rejection. See M.P.E.P. § 804.02 and *Quad Environmental Technologies Corp. v. Union Sanitary District*, 946 F.2d 1870, 20 USPQ2d 1392 (Fed. Cir. 1991).

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